



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 3159**
Hiroyoshi MATSUMURA et al. : Attorney Docket No. 2004_1805A
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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action dated July 5, 2006, Applicants herein provide the following amendments and remarks.